# judge Hoffman's Decision of the Penitentiary Question.

Our journalistic neighbor on Market the publication in our columns of an article from the Clarksburg Conservative, with comments thereon, touching a prejudicial decision of the Penitentiary controversy by Judge Hoffman of the Supreme Court. This fury is purely theatrical. The Register does not feel any indignation on the subject, but does fee that a show of it is the regular and legitimate thing to put on.

The Register deliberately misrepresent one point. It is not we who assail the judiial integrity of Judge Hoffman. It is the fact on which we commented that assails him, if it is a fact. The way to defend him is to disprove that fact. We have no extenuation to offer for the exposure of a private paper; but with due deference for he acuter discrimination of our cotemporary, we do not see that those who make this paper a subject of comment, under the circumstances, are quite as bad as receivers of stolen goods. The paper was private but the matter to which it related s of the utmost concern to the public. is of the utmost concern to the public. Masty Jim and noons Jim accompanied to the contents of the paper, however, disclosed, were such the journals were bound to take notice of. Dees anybody imagine to take notice of. Dees anybody imagine by a moment that if suce a thing had occurred in connection with any Republication of the content of the conten curred in connection with any Republi-State was in Republican hands, the Wheeling Register would have deemed it improper to mention it? Let anybody

imagine such a thing it he can. But "supposing the story true" says the Register, what of it? Why this. The paper drawn by Judge Hoffman, even if lrawn for his eyes only, shows the workknown to be a violent partisan on one ide of the question involved, has already made up his decision in favor of his own side without waiting to hear, and without reference to, what may be adduced in court by counsel on the other side. The Register sees nothing improper in this. Possibly that is not so much from the absence of impropriety as from incapacity of vision. There are none so blind as those says that several of Jack's best warriors wantly not see "the livides" are the wast the reared the Warm Spring scouts. He threw down his rifle and extended his hand in token of friendship. The profered member was cordially grasped by the scouts, and Charley was then passed to the rear, under guard, and next he was taken to the other Modoc captives and by them introduced. He warm was the waste of Jack's best warriors wasted to leave him and come. who will not see. "A judge" says the Register "should not be a mere wooden man; he is supposed to know something; he is not bound to accept as law all that the attorneys urge." Granted; and yet inless the judical system is a stopendous fraud, he is bound to hear what the atorneys have to say before he closes his mind against the reception of evidence or we never heard that style of judicial decision defended before. While a judge is not bound to "accept" the views of attorneys, he is bound to consider them; he is bound not to prejudge the case; he is bound to keep his mind open, in a judicial frame, suitable for the equally hospitable reception of arguments on both sides. How can that he if he sits down and presidence of the support of the sits down and presidence of the support of the sits down and presidence of the support of th

"this early "stage of the game." that the Judge's pre-judicial decision in this case may have been put on paper for the use of the attorneys on his side of the case. We have not said it was; yet we have no doubt that the extraordinary fact of his preparing an argument on the subject at all so far in advance, has exposed him, however unjustly, to that suspicion in the minds of many. We have only to that the Judge's pre-judicial decision in in the minds of many. We have only to say on that point that, since the two atorneys on that side are the Judge's felorneys on that side are the Judge's Iellow townsmen and near neighbors, he had
better, if he does not want them to be
lore advised of his decision, to keep his
manuscripts relating thereto where they
will not fall into the hands of the boys
passing along the street.

The 'motive' that prompted our publication is what appears chiefly to disturb
the Register, and this it "cappat too

the Register, and this it "cannot too strongly condemn." We suppose it means to say we "assail" Judge Hoffman because he is a Democrat. We have as much right to say the Register defends him for a like reason. Motives are personal string with which the area its and the trained continual excitement. Led over the mountains, along canons and valleys, over small streams of water, the route was traveled with difficulty by the best trained horses. Miles upon miles of the Lava Beds in fragmentary were crossed. The troops litterally left behind the training of the troops litterally left behind the training of the troops litterally left behind the training of the troops litterally left behind the training to continual excitement. Led over the mountains, along canons and valleys, over small streams of water, the route was traveled with difficulty by the best trained horses. Miles upon a valley, over small streams of water, the route was traveled with difficulty by the best trained horses. Miles upon miles of the Lava Beds in fragmentary were crossed. The troops litterally left behind the trained continual excitement. sonal affairs with which the reading publost the trail, and we suffered a detention of two hours. The halt was broken the new no concern, and it is neither need to not permitted to discuss them. But if the Register would like to go into an analysis of the motives behind this discussion, on its part and ours, we violate no the need to night, and left the line, and covered to night.

# The Wheeling Intelligencer.

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The steamship George Cromwell, from this port for New Orleans, is nearly one

week over due.

An effort is making to effect a settle-

the Superior Court, deciding that a strike

he premises, \$100; where liquers are sold

NEW YORK, June 1.—Arrived-steamer leutchland, from Bremen. Matthew Fitzpatrick murdered his

vife in Yonkers last night, and escaped.

Academy.

The owners of the steamship George fromwell, now over-due at New Orlean

is the penalty on conviction.



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Comedy in the Lava Beds.

the squadron of Captain Jackson. Capt Hasbrouck's squadron held snother equal-ly important position, and was, as usual, on time along the creat of the bluff, and down trail on its side, charged the entire force of 230 men. Suddenly four rife shots It may be the fault of the imaginative erson who sends the press reports of the Modoc campaign, but all reports from it read like a stupid farce. were fired from the rocks, the bullets striking near the soldiers. The skirmishers deployed along the crest bluff started the Modocs from their lair. About this time a note in our columns this morning to say Gen. Davis is pursuing Jack, and that Judge Chasz was not present at the using as scouts the captured Modocs one of whom is HOOKA JIM, who Modocs from their lair. About this time Scar Faced Charley and two or three oth-er Modocs rushed down the rocks and cried out "we surrender, don't shoot." Five Modocs came in, and at once, hos-tilities ceased. Dr. Cabaness, of Yreke, was in the party that murdered Gen. CANBY and who chased and shot at Mr. was written by him and read by MAYS DYER. Either these savages intend to betray Davis into an ambush, or they dis play a treachery to their late comrades contract surgeon, who has long been acmore despicable than savages have ever more despicable than savages have ever before been credited with. We have this morning an incoherent account of an expedition against Jack's camp, which resulted in the capture of Boston Charley, the murderer of Dr. Thomas. CHARLEY, the murderer of Dr. THOMAS, who was allowed to surrender, and soon NEW YORK CITY. after was rearmed and sent after the flee NEW YORK May 31.—The spotted lever is what afflicts the Coney Island Railway Company's horses.

Rev. Mr. Betrends, pastor of the Baptist church, at Yonkers, N. Y. has declined to accept the call from the First Baptist church of Cleveland, Ohio.

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THE MODOC CAMPAIGN.

Capt. Jack Surprised in His Camp. Boston Charley Captured and Sent Off after Jack as a Peace Com-missioner.

A First-Class Farce.

TULE LARS, May 29.—The cavalry and artillery commands, and Warm Spring Indians, under Col. Green, leit Boyles' camp at 2 o'clock this morning, and rode in hot haste to Clear Lake, where Gen. Davis issued special orders for a scout. Bogus Charley, Steamboat Frank, Shack Nesty Jim and Hooka Jim accompanied

over the creek and along the south side can judge, while the judiciary of the Capt. Hasbrouck having had a mile further to travel than Capt. Jackson did no arrive at the stronghold to accomplish the desired connection. Jack was never-

theless surprised.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon Jackson's men came across two pickets on the bluff near the creek and ran them through to Jack's retreat. The fleeing Modocs cried out "run quick, run quick, soldiers are coming." Capt. Jackson displayed his ings of the judicial mind on a question that involves matters of the utmost moment to the whole State. It shows, as we understand, that though a case has we understand, that though a case has Modocs conversant with English cried out and yet been put into court, the judge who is to finally pass upon it, and who is to finally pass upon it, and who is Boston Charley, the murderer of Rev. Dr. Thomas, came in full view and was immelitately covered by a dozen rifles. Charley offered to surrender and was allowed to come into camp, as he feared the Warm Spring scouts. He threw down his rifle

wanted to leave him and come into our camp and volunteer to put up a job. His gun was returned to him, and he was allowed to depart on the relation. him, and he was allowed to depart on the mission. Hardly had this arrangement been effected, when a rifle in the hands of Steamboat Frank was accidently dis-charged. Several Modocs stood up, litted their hands and decauped at this The accident was explained Charley and all suspicion of foul play BALTIMORE, June 1.—A special dis-patch from Annapolis says that at the graduating exercises of the cadets yester day, Admiral Dayis delivered the annual address in the chapel, after which a dress cason. He has no right to decide a case before he hears it; else why are cases heard in court at all? A dogmatic judge who adopts the opposite course, may regard the views of attorneys on the other side as something of an impertinence; but we never heard that style of judicial decision defended before. While a limits. It is a limit of the case of the case of the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours atterward was released and seen after the case of the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours atterward was released and seen after the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours atterward was released and seen after the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours attended the discount of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours attended the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours attended the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours at the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours at the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours at the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours at the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours at the case of the creek as Charley came over the bluff, and of course he was gathered in as a peace commissioner, two hours at the case of the case of the case of the case o ed; when another accident cause

sble reception of arguments on both sides.
How can that be if he sits down and presents abid decision weeks before the case is heard? It is barely possible that there may be some law and some argument on the other side of this case that Judge ilorfman has not sufficiently considered in the surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and the other side of this case that Judge ilorfman has not sufficiently considered in the surrender of the remaining the surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Princess Mary, sister of Capt. Jack, Black and Surrender of Boston Charley, Pr the grasp of the troops. There was no help for this result. Jack's retreat this The Register is horrifled at the idea time was inside of a canon, through which

eral miles south of the valley the scouts

lost the trail, and we suffered a detention

Cowles, Coun.; S. W. B. Diehl, Pa; C. J. Badger, at large; A. A. Michaelaon, at large; A. C. Young, Ey; R. F. Nicholson, New Orleans; J. P. Underwood, Mich; F. A. Milnier, New York; F. Tyler, Mich; H. Merrell, N. Y.; O. F. Putnam, Illis; E. B. Underwood, at large; A. S. Case, at large; W. F. Halsey, Louislans; M. A. Schufeldt, Conn; S. C. Lemley, N. C.; W. Winder, N. H; T. E. Muse, Md; J. B. Robinson, at large; J. W. Bean, N. C. A. Reynolds, Md., O. B. T. Moore, Illinois; Z. Z. Matzmulla, Empire of Japan; T. E. D. W. Veeder, New York.

When the Secretary concluded delivering diplomas, the band played "The girl when the Secretary concluded deriver-ing diplomas, the band played "The girl I left behind me," other classes cheering the graduates. The graduates have one months leave, and will then be ordered to sea. The Second and Fourth classes leave on the Constellation, on Wednesday or Thursday, for a support of the control of the LANGHUI'S VALLEY, May 30.—At six o'clock yesterday morning the troops left Willow Creek camp for a sharp and deor Thursday, for a summer cruise. The Third class have three months leave.

Cannibalism in the Ferjee Islands. New York, June 1.—A letter from the Feejee Islands states that the Mountain Savages killed a family of whites named Burns and some Polynesian laborers, altogether sixteen whites, whose bodies were ound horribly mutilated, and some of the bodies were carried away for a canni

New Jerusalem Church Conference. CINCINNATI, May 31.—At the morning session of the Ministerial Conference of the New Jerusalam Church, now in session here, a committee was appointed to sion here, a committee was appointed to prepare a new Liturgy. The annual ad-dress was delivered by Rev. W. H. Ben-ade of Pittsburgh, on "The Authority of Swedenborg." The aftersoon was princi-pally devoted to the discussion of ad-

### FOREIGN.

ENGLAND.

COLLIERY EXPLOSION.

London, May 31.—An explosion yes-terday in a colliery near Wigan, killed six miners, and destroyed much property. PRENCH COMMERCIAL TREATY TO BE ABANDONEL

London, May 31 .- The French Gov ernment proposes to abandon the com mercial treaty with England.

FRANCE.

German Evacuation to be Hastened. PARIS, May 31.—It is reported that the Bank of France will advance the funds necessary to complete the payment of the war indemnity, and the evacuation of French territory by the German troops will follow immediately.

MADRID, May 31.-The constituents cortes assembled yesterday. The session was formally opened by Sinor Figureas, President of the Ministry, with a speech in which he maintained the right of Spain's people to chose their own government. The Republic, he said would pursue a policy of order at home: it had no sue a policy of order at home; it had n concern with the revolution in European States, and was not ambitious of territorial aggrandisement. He promised to abolish slavery in Cuba as in Porto Rico abolist stayery in Cuba as in Porto Rico, and advocated the separation of Church and State. The courtes then organized by electing Sinor Orense, a Federal Re-publican, its president. General Cabrinthy in command of the An effort is making to effect a settlement with the creditors of the late banking house of Bowles Bros., by payment of fifty per cent of the indebtedness free of expense to creditors.

Judge Sedgwick gave an important decision on a coal contract case to-day.

H. C. Bowen and others contracted with the Delaware & Lackawanna Coal Co.

government troops has defeated a force of 800 Carisis under Sabalis. Gen. Vallas has ordered the suspension of railway traffic in the province of Valencia, under pain of death.

CHICAGO.

the Delaware & Lackawanna Coal Color a supply of coal. After a few tons were delivered, a strike took place at the mines. The delivery was interrupted, and Bowen refused to pay for what he received, and the company brought suit, claiming that by the terms of the contract storms, disaster and strikes exempted them from the strict fulfilment, and a referee decided in their favor. To day the General Term reversed the decision of the Superior Court, deciding that a strike Brilliant Billiard Match. Brilliant Billiard Match.
Chicato, May 31.—The second of a series of match games of billiards between Francois Ubassy, the celebrated French expert, and John Bessunger, of this city, was displayed to-night at Nixon's Amphitheatre before an audionce of 15,000 people. L. C. Cowles, of a western sporting Journal, was chosen referee; Tom Foley was umpire for Ubassy, and George Morris, umpire for Bessunger. The match was a three ball game for \$350 aside, Ubassy to play 600 points to Bessunger's 400. The betting before the game was about even. Bessunger won the lead in the game. On Ubassy's part it was the most remarkable exhibition of skill the Superior Court, deciding that a strike set up by the company was not such as was meant in the contract, having been brought on by the plaintiffs themselves. Betheada fountain, the latest glory of Central Park was publicly unweiled this alternoon in the presence of a very large number of citizens. This work of art was from the moulds, designed and executed at Rome by Miss Emma Stebbins, daughter of Henry G. Stebbins, President of the Board of Park Commissioners. The design of the fountain was suggested if nost remarkable exhibition of skill the Board of Park Commissioners. The design of the fountain was suggested to Miss Stebbins by a passage in the scripture describing the pool at Bethesda. The Board of Excise have classified licenses into five grades. First class hotels and bar rooms will pay \$250 a year; second class hotels and restaurants, \$150, saloons where liquor is sold and drank on the premises \$100, where liquor are sold. ever witnessed in this city, his playing be-ing exceedingly brilliant and even throughout. Game was called first at the ing exceedingly brilliant and even throughout. Game was called first at the end of the eighteenth inning, the score standing, Ubassy, 121; Besunger, 86. On the twenty-seventh inning Ubassy turned his second hundred, score standing, Ubassy, 200; Bessunger, 105. In the next cleven innings the Frenchman, added ninety-nine to his string, while Bessunger was able to score only thirty-five. The fourth hundred was turned on the fiftieth innings and when game was called next on the in quantities less than five gallons, such as drug stores, \$60; and ale and beer saas drug stores, \$60; and ale and beer ealoons, \$30.
William A. Waite, cashier of the
Glean's Falls Bank, visited the District
Attorney's office to-day and identified the
bonds stolen from his bank. He then
made the necessary affidavit that Brady
may be indicted by the grand jury for
bringing the stolen property into the
county. Seven years in the Stafe prison
is the penalty on conviction. hundred was turned on the fittieth innings and when game was called next on the fitty-eighth inning the acore stood 533 to 237. Eight more innings ended the game in favor of Ubassy. The total score being, Ubassy, 600; Bessunger, 273. The winner's average was 9 to 1-11; Bessunger's average was 4 and 3 29.3. The largest runs of Ubassy were 48, 38, 32, 31; Bessunger, 29, 24, 19, 19. Chicaco, June 1.—By an error in setting down the Ubassy and Bessunger innings in the billiard match played here last night, the average of each player was

nings in the bilinard match played nerchest player was calculated on sixty-six innings, while a reference to the score, as sent, and which is correct, will show that sixty-nine includes a played and that consequently nings were played, and that consequently Ubassy's average was 8 48 69, while Bes-sunger's was 3 65 69.

Cromwell, now over-due at New Orleans from this port, feel no uncasiness as to her safety, she being a very strong and seaworthy boat. She has five first-class life-boats. She had only seven pssengers, who with thirty officers and the crew, could be fully accommodated in the boats in case of accident. A PLEASANT SOCIAL EVENT.

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A pleasant social event occurred today at the residence of A. C. Hesing,
pruprietor of the Illinois Staats Zeitung,
of this city, being the 23th anniversary of
his marriage. The pleasure and interest
was added to it by the visit in the aftermoon of several of Mr. Hesing's personal
friends headed by Hon. Norman B. Judd,
who, in behalf of a number of prominent
citizens, presented Mr. Hesing with a
boautiful span of horses and an elegant
landau, the whole costing \$8,000.

parade took place on the grounds. The graduating midshipmen and engineers then stepped forward from the ranks and threw down their muskets and swords as CONFERENCE OF BAILBOAD MEN. threw down their museus and swords as is customary, and marched up in front of Secretary Robeson, the band playing "Ain't I glad to get out of the Wilderness." Secretary Robeson made a short speech and delivered diplomas to the midnent railroad men are in the city, quarter-ed at the new Pacific Hotel which has just been opened to the public, and among them are Horace F. Clark and Augustus Schell of New York, John Duff of Boston, John F. Tracy and M. L. Sikes. A good deal of interest has been created by the rumor that the New York Central interest had obtained control of a majority raduating class in the order of merit:

Wm. H. Schueltz, Mo; C. W. Deering,
Mo; J. Towler, Mass; T. B. Howard, at
large, Presidential appointee; C. W.
Cowles, Conn.; S. W. B. Diehl, Pa; C. J. of the stock of the Northwestern and o the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific rail-road, and would, at the annual election of road, and would, at the annual election of directors, which occurs here on Wednesday next, make a radical change in the management, throwing out Mr. Tracy and his friends. While it is truethat Mr. Clark and his associates now hold a majority of the Northwestern stock and a large interstants and the pacific the law. est in the Rock Island & Pacific, the law est in the Rock Island & Pacific, the law which permits the election of only three directors at any annual election, would prevent an immediate radical change in the management of either, but it is now understood that the interest of the New York Central will be best subserved by retaining Mr. Tracy in the Presidency of the radis mantioned and Presidency of the roads mentio who may be elected to the directory on Wednesday, will not interfere with his management.

Proposed National Convention of

BALTIMORE, June 1 .- Arrangements are being made for a national convention of Irish born citizens, to be held in Cleveland, Ohlo, about the 15th of July, for the purpose of forming a lesgue similar to the German Union. Some of the leading Irishmen of New York, Philadelphia and other citize accourage the movement on other cities encourage the movement on the ground that the Irish element in this country has no standing, political or com-mercial, which their numbers and impormercial, which their numbers and impor-tance entitle them. They say the Ger-mans exceed them in almost every sphere name exceed them in almost every sphere, and that this is due to their default of co-hesion and harmony, and to religious and political contention. The Irishmen, like members of the German League, will be pledged to support one another in restaurance to persons of other naturally. preference to persons of other nationali-ties without distinction as to sex or party Great Tin Discovery in California.

San Francisco, May 31 .- A dispatch liscovery of a mammoth tin ledge, torty confidence in saying we believe it might the trail. Then came troop K, of the trail. Then came troop K, of the trail in helping to explain the special zeal with which that paper comes to Judge light which that paper comes to Judge lin the trail. Then came that paper comes to Judge light which that THE BOSTON FIRE.

Insurance Losses.

Boston, May 31.—By the fire here yesterday the Ameson Insurance Company, Cincinnati, loses \$10,000; American-Central, St Louis, \$16,000; Brewers', Milwaukee, \$12,500.

New York, May 31.—The New York insurance companies' losses by the Boston fire are \$750,000. The highest amount by the State of the State

by any single company is \$15,000.

Boston, May 81.—Among the insurance losses by the fire yesterday are the follow-

ing:
Oriental, Hartford, \$10,000; Hamburg,
of Bremen, \$29,000; German American,
New York, \$30,000; Manhattan, New
York, \$15,000; Guardian, New York, York, \$15,000; Guardian, New York, \$14,000; Amazon, Cincinnati, \$10,000; Merchants', New York, \$95,00; Brewers and Malters' \$15,000; Hoyal, London, \$90,000; Queen's, of London, \$25,000; North British, \$9,500; London Assurance \$20,000; Ætna, Hartlord, \$30,000; Commerce, Albany, \$2,500. The Ætna had \$9,000 on Turner's property on Essex street, on which there also \$10,000 by the Firemens' Fund; J. Rosslee was insured \$12,500 in the Lancashire, Liverpool; Mullen, Ide & Co. had \$5,000 in the American Central of St. Louis, \$25,000 in the Williamsburg City, and \$5,000 in the Fire Association of Finisalephia; J. W. Backett, dealer in planos, was insured for \$75,000 in the office represented by Goodman & in the office represented by Goodman & Co. as follows: Eliot of Boston, \$4,000; Go. as follows: Eliot of Boston, \$4,000; American Central, St. Louis, \$11,000; North British and Mercantile, \$9,500; Firemens' Fund, San Francisco, \$10,000; Commerce, Albany, \$3,500. Joseph Benoir, of No. 341 Washington streat; had \$12,000 insurance equally divided among the Home, Germania and Hanover of New York, and the Quincy and Mutual office. Hawley, Folsom & Martin, insured for \$5,000 in the Continental. The Hartford companies lose \$38,000 as follows: £Una \$30,000; Hartford \$15,000; Phoenix \$14,000; Connecticut \$11,000; Oriental \$10,000; National \$3,000. The losses of isome of the New York Companies are stated as follows: Republic \$6,500; Exchange \$5,000; Hoffman \$7,500; Clinton \$3,000; £Vina \$13,000; Phoenix \$12,000; Miscons \$13,000; Miscons \$10,000; £Vina \$13,000; Phoenix \$12,000; Miscons \$12,000; £Vina \$12,000 \$2,000; Ætna \$13,000; Phoenix \$13,000; Nisgara \$9,000. Eilis, Hollis & Company Niagars \$0,000. Eilis, Hollis & Company catimate the losses of the companies represented by them at about \$100,000; Imperial of London had \$14,000. The investigation of Chickering's insurance gives \$97,000 in all. The Continental of New York had \$5 000 for Hawley & Folsom; \$1,500 for Raison Nawman; \$30,000 for Emerson; \$5,000 for H. F. Miller and \$6,500 for Active firm. The North American

can of New 1 ora among other losses had a policy of \$25,000 on the Brown property in Essex street. F. S. Phelp's office loses the following amounts: Brewers of Milwaukee \$12,500; citizens of Newark \$10,000; Roger Williams of Providence \$7,500; New York & Yonkers \$2,500.

The Late American Minister to Rus-AN ACCOUNT OF HIS ILLNESS, DEATH, AND

FUNERAL. NEW YONK, May 31.—A St. Petersburg letter writer, under date of the 8th Inst. sends the following skeech of the sickness, death, and funeral services over the remains of the late United States Minister to the Court of the Czar: The diplomatic green of Governor Or camp to a pulpful career of Governor Orr came to a painful end before it was fairly begun. It is not quite two months since he arrived in St. Petersburg, and presented his credentials to the Emperor. He was suffering at the time from a severe cold, contracted during the Atlantic paesage, and about a week after his formal installation in his new office, he was forced to take to his bed, and from that day he did not leave his apartments. A cold settled on his lungs, and afterwards passed to his liver, seriously affecting his blood. No serious results were apprehended, however, and on Friday, four days before he died his friends thought he was slowly, yet steadily improving; but on Monday last there was a change and he died quite suddenly at two o'clock. The funeral services were celebrated to-day in the Chapel quite two months since he arrived in St es were celebrated to-day in the Chapel of the English American Society. There was no discourse and the pastor simply read the impressive ritual of the Church of England and closed with a short prayer only. The little Chapel was by no means full. There were some dozen ladies, English and American, half a dozen American can liemen in black and thirty or

scene was tadiscribably sad. After the Rector had finished the service, the Di plomatist walked around the coffin and dropped each upon it a little sand, the civilians present did the same. As the mellow Russian sun broke through the windows of Brumble church, the cortege took up and passed mournfully away. The few Americans in St. Petersburg there are not above half a dozen fami tiles) were very attentive to the unfortun-ate Minister, and since his death have taken entire charge of the funeral ar-rangements. The English friends of the Legation have also been very kind, and he sad circumstaces surrounding the case have awakened general sympathy in the Diplomatic corps

North Iowa Turnfest.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Day 31.—The North DUBIQUE, 10WA, Day 31.—Ine North Iowa Turniest commenced here this eve-ning. Delegates arriving on trains were given a reception at the new turn hall this evening, which had been handsome-ly and appropriately decorated for the occasion, the walls being hung with festoons and garlands, flowers and evergreens intermingled with pictures and appropriate inscriptions, extending welcome and good cheer to all. To-morrow, they take a picnic to McKnight's Springs. The closing pleasures of the day will be a con-cert at the turn hall and the awarding of the prize for the best declamation. The festivities close to to morrow.

Decoration Day at Evansville. EVANSVILLE, IND , May 31 .- The deco EVANSVILLE, IND, May 31.—The decoration services to-day were participated in by a large concourse. One veteran of 1812, six of Mexico, and a large number of the Union soldiers of the rebellion, participated. One Revolutionary soldier's grave was garlanded, and flowers strewn over several hundred later Union heroes from many States. Eloquent ad-dresses by Hon. W. F. Parrett and Col. J. S. Buchanan were made. Two bands of music and several thousand people Kansas Benders Arrested in Iowa.

New York Bank Statement. New York, May 31-Loans decrease decrease \$1,150,600; legal tenders increase \$1,579,400; net de-posits decrease \$1,625,800; circulation de-crease \$47,700. THE BRIDGE AT ST. JOSEPH,

The Completion of the Structure Cele-brated.-Hig Day Among the Saint-ly Josephs.

ST. JOSEPH, May 31.—In all the history of this city no such day as this has ever been witnessed, and visitors from New York, Chicago, and St. Louis declare they have very rarely in these great cities seen such a magnificent display. Last night and all this morning heavily laden special and all this morning heavily lader spectral trains were arriving until at last the city seemed a living mass of people, who had come to take part in the celebration of the completion of the great iron bridge over the Missouri river. The procession commenced forming at 8 o'clock. At 10 o'clock it took up the line of march for the o'clock it took up the line of march for the bridge, traversing the principal streets. It was fully six miles in length. Every trade was represented, and all conceded that they had nover witnessed a more imposing spectacle. St. Joseph covered herself with glory, and demonstrated the fact that she is not only a city of wealth and commercial resources, but a large and content of the content of t commercial resources, but a large and growing manulacturing town. After crossing the bridge, the procession moved to the park in the southern part of the city, and there the vast multitude was addressed by ex-Gov. Willard, P. Hall, the President of the Bridge Company, Hon. J. S. Kalloch, of Kansas, Joseph Brown, Mayor of St. Louis, I. C. Parker, member of Congress from this district, Col. Jas. B. Eades, of St. Louis, and others.

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In the afternoon over 1,000 invited guests sat down to a magnificent banquet, where Gov. Woodson of Missouri, Ex. Gov. Hall, Hon. J. S. Kallock, Col. Eades, Hon. H. Lett of Nebraska, Newton Crane of the St. Louis Democrat, Gen. Craig and

others, responded to the toasts.

This evening the Sangerfest Society are holding a Grand Jubilee at the Opera House, which is packed from pit to dome

rith people.

Col. Eades and other distinguished civ il engineers have pronounced it equal ir strength and beauty to any bridge in the country, or the Old World. It is built on the same plan as the St. Louis bridge

About one hundred cars have crossed daily, for the past week. It is expected daily, for the past week. It is expected in a few days that arrangements will be completed for the Missouri & Pacific, the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, the Atchison & Nebraska, the Leavenworth, Lawrence & Gulf Roads are to run over this bridge into St. Louis.

Burning of a Railway Depot at
Hoboken.

New York, May 31.—The depot of the
Delaware & Lackawanns and the Morris & Essex Railway Companies is now
burning at Hoboken, N. J. No passenger cars are reported destroyed. The
flames have communicated to the ferry
house. The fire broke out at about haifpast five this morning. Later informa-500 to another firm. The North Ameri-can of New York among other losses had past five this morning. Later informs ion states that the entire depot building

tion states that the entire depot buildings have been destroyed, with the exception of the ferry house. The flames have not yet been extinguished. The loss has not been ascertained.

New York, May 31—Afternoon.—The fire in the Delaware & Lackawanna railway depot is still burning. When the flames were discovered, four trains that were ready to start, were run out of the were ready to start, were run out of the depot and saved, but four freight cars hat could not be removed were burned. The flames communicated with the dock The names communicated with the dock, and the firemen are endoavoring to save it. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is said to be the work of an incendary. The flames were first discoverd issuing from the window of a restaurant, and not-withsteading the alarm was impediately withstanding the alarm was immediately given and the firemen quickly responded wing to the inflammable nature of the depot, the entire structure, two hundred fifty feet deep by seventy feet wide, was soon a burning mass. The firemen turned their attention to saving the Hoboken Ferry Company's building, adjoining the depot, and they succeeded. The freight in the depot was of trifling value. The Railway Company saved all their books and papers. The total loos, including the depot and locks, is estimated at \$55,000. depot, the entire structure, two hundred

U. P. Church General Assembly. PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—The Genera Assembly of the United Presbyteria church, of North America, reassemble trian Ambassador was there. The Ministers of Brazil, Italy, Greece and attaches of other Legations, as well as of Foreign officers, Mr. J. L. Orr, Jr., the solitary family mourner stood, who wore the lamiliar uniform of Brigation, who wore the lamiliar uniform of Brigation, who was presented as the committee on church property. Rev. Edward A. Collier addressed the assembly, saying that the Reformed Church rejoiced in the interference of membership of the United Preshutation. bership of the United Presbyteries, and in their institutions of learning. At the beginning of the year there was a debt on the Foreign Board of \$31,600, and now there is enough money in the treasury to wipe out every cent of the debt. The Moderator in reply invited Mr. Collier to a scat in the Assembly. Rev. Geo. Patterson and Rev. Jas. Bennett, delegated tray Evended Canada, were invigates from Synods of Canada, were invi sates from Synda A canada, were hive led to seats, and addressed the Assembly. Signor Matteo Prochet, President of the Waldensian church, of Italy, was intro-duced and delivered an address. The dated and delivered an address. The Assembly then took a recess to enable the members to take a drive through Fair-mont Park, and enjoy the banquet at

Whisky Frauds at New Orleans. NEW YORK, May 31.—A New Orleans correspondent writing about the whisky frauds in that city shows by facts and figures that whisky, which pays the tax, cannot be manufactured in New Orleans at the present prices without considerable loss for the average that all the oss, for the excellent reason that all the materials must be brought from a distance and pay the high rates of transports tance and pay the figh rates of transporta-tion. Nevertheless whisky is extensively made there. In two years there has been a falling off 55,000 barrels in the receipts of western whisky at New Orleans. Yet there has been at the same time an in-crease in the quantity sold in the New Or-leans market, netwithstanding which the leans market, notwithstanding which the government collects a tax upon its manu facture of only about 18,000 barrels, show-ing that two out of every three pay no tax. Internal Revenue Receipts.

MABHINGTON, May 31—Internal revenue receipts to day were \$331,011; total for the month were \$133,011; total for the month were \$13,353,107; grand total were \$108,010,223. Total for the fiscal year thus far were only \$3,983,778 less than the estimate of the commissioners for the entire discal year, and the indications are that the receipts during June will make the total at least \$8,000,000 in excess of the estimates. 000 in excess of the estimates.

DUBLOUE, Msy S1.—A young man sup-osed to be young Bender, son of the well-

a murderer, was arrested at West Liberty, Iowa, to-day; and a woman a subpona for George Francis thought to be Mrs. Bender was arrested testify in the Credit Mobilier case, but he at Oxford, Iowa. There seems to be little salied for Europe before the warrant could be screed. He goes to Stuttgart to meet are held for further developments.

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LATEST NEWS.

—John Spang of Dayton, Ohio, was killed at Hamilton on Saturday morning, while uncoupling treight cars of the C. H. & D. railroad.

—A Washington dispatch says the re-port that Gen. Davis has allowed any portion of the surrendered Modocs to be armed and sent in pursuit of Capt. Jack, is wholly discredited by the Secretary of War and army officers generally. Self respect would prevent him from employing murderers to do the work of soldiers

-Announcement is made from Wash-—Announcement is made from Washington that the War Department continues the effort of the Interior Department to get Santania and Big Tree released. Gen. Sherman is very plain in his denunciation of the scheme.

—At Baltimore on Saturday, James West, (colored) was convicted for the murder of his paramour, Anna Gibson, on the night of the 13th of March last.

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-Gov. Dix, of New York, has algued the civil damages liquor selling bill.

—A farmer named Kreger, in driving

home from Independence, Iowa, Friday night, losing the road, was precipitated down a railroad embankment, and himseli and two horses instantly killed.
—Stock flour in Cincinnati, Saturday, in the hands of receivers, jobbers and millers was 30,198 barrels.

George S. Leech has been arrested in

Philadelphia for causing the death of his father-in-law, David Ward, by hitting him a with brick. Leech asserts that he threw the brick in self-defence. -Another fire in Constantinople, Sat-

arday, burned flity houses.

urday, burned fifty houses.

—Secretary Belknap left Washington Saturday for West Point, to attend an examination of cadets. The President and family will leave the latter part of this week for Long Branch, and thence proceed to West Point. -The President has appointed Thomas

N. Chase, of Georgis, agent for the In-dians at Green Bay agency; and John T. Weathers, Postmaster at Jeffersonville, Mo., vice Mr. Mather, resigned. -E F. Hammond, Indian agent for the

Colorado nver reservation in Arizons, died at San Bernardino, Cal., while on the way to his post. -Dr. Brown, sentenced to 10 years in Sing Sing, for assaulting Murray, the New York gas collector, died in prison,

-The stables of the Ballard House, at —The stables of the Ballard House, at Quincy, Ills., caught fire Saturday afternoon and with six horses were destroyed. The fire extended to the hotel and at one time threatened the destruction of the whole block, but was finally extinguished. Two firemen fell from the second story of the hotel, and one named Ben Barter was heally injured.

ondly injured. —A man named Prichard, said to be a member of a gang of horse thieves in In-diana, was arrested at Quincy, Ills., Saturday and locked up to await requisition. -Joe Woods, colored, brutally outraged the person of Mrs. Elizabeth Hampton, a widowed white woman, near Versailles, Rutherford county, Tenn., a day or two since, and afterwards crushed her skull with an axe. Woods is in prison, and there are strong threats of lynching if the woman dies, which is highly prob-

-Rev. R. S. Nevin, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, of Rome, is in New York, and desires \$24 000, which is need-York, and desires \$2,900, which is need-ed to complete the first American, and first Protestant church edifice in Rome. The Americans in Rome have already contributed \$20,000, and \$5,000 have been subscribed in this country.

—The Cemmissioner of Internal Revenue, has notified the U. S. District Attorney in New York that the decision of Judge Blatchford in the unitation spark ling wine case is acquiesced in, and that an appeal will not be taken. The main

murder of Gen. Clinton, at Knoxville, Tenn., was acquitted Friday. The jury was out five minutes. -The specie shipments Saturday were

-A Mrs. Jas. Connors, of Milwauke Wis., suicided Sunday by taking prussic acid, on account of domestic troubles.

Sr. Louis. June 1 .- From correspond Sr. Louis, June 1.—From correspondence published to-day it is learned that the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad Company, through their attorneys, have withdrawn from what was understood to be an agreed case between them and State Attorney General Ewing, to test the constitutionality of the act of the Legislature relacing the State's lies on the Missouri releasing the State's lien on the Missouri Pacific Railroad. It is not probable that Pacific Kalifoad. It is not propose that the road will now be advertised for sale by Governor Woodson under the authority of the concurrent resolution passed by the Legislature last winter.

An interview with Wm. Tausing, President of the Union Depot Company, discloses the fact that the project of building a union railroad depot in connection with

a union railroad depot in connection with the bridge and tunnel now in process of construction in this city has b doned for the present, and that a tempo-rary depot will be built on the Illinois side of the river at the eastern end of the bridge by the railroad companies directly

interested.
Joseph Bergov, a bricklayer, while
working on the new State House at
Springfield, Ills., yesterday, fell down an
air shaft four feet square and 97 feet deep. Three of his ribs were broken and he was sadly bruised, but it is thought he will re-NEW ORLEANS.

Reporter Assaulted -- McEnery Advises Submission till Meeting of Congress. NEW ORLEANS, June 1 .- About one

NEW URLEANS, June 1.—About one o'clock this morning, an unknown party using a slung shot, assaulted E. C. Hancock, of the Herald, on the corner of Gravier and Camp streets. Hancock received a dangerous cut on the forchead.

The assailant escaped.

Gov. McEnery issues an address to the people of Louisians, advising acquisence in the Kellogg government until Congress assembles in December.

Departure of Train for Europe. NEW YORK, May 31.—The United FOE PAINS, SPRAINS, RHEUMATISM, &c. States Circuit Court of Connecticut issued An elegant and affected and applications of the court of the court

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### WASHINGTON

Washington, June 1.—Another loan of \$400,000, payable in thirty-eight years, is proposed to continue the street improvements under the direction of the Board of Public Works of the District of Columbia a bill having been introduced for that pur-pose in the Legislature.

TREASURY PROGRAMME FOR JUNE

The Secretary of the Treasury has di-Frected the Assistant Treasurer at New York to give notice that during the month of June he will purchase \$500,000 of bonds on the first and third Wednesdays each, and will sell \$2,000,000 in gold on the first and third Thursday each, and \$1,500,000 on the accord and court Thurstown

tion continues to emphatically discounte-nance the request made to the Governor of Texas for the relief of Santanta and Big Tree, and says he has no authority to in-terlere in the matter, it being in the hands of the executive authority, but at the same time he thinks whatever promises have been made for the restoration of these chiefs to their people ought to be carried out in good faith.

THE M'KENZIE HAID.

The Mexican Minister has not yet re-ceived a full official account of the partic-ulars attending Col. McKenzie's opera-tions against the Lipons and Kickapoos, and therefore is not now prepared to rep-resent the case to our Government, with a view to explanations, and there is no doubt that these will be placed on the ground of the duty of the Government to protect its citizens and punish all hostile invaders of our soil wherever found the invaders of our soil, wherever found, the Mexican Government being unwilling or unable to prevent such incursions. It is said in military circles that the operations of Coi. McKenzie will doubtless serve as a warning to all armed bands who cross to our territory for stealing or other murderous purposes. derous purposes.

Weather Report. WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF STONAL OFFICER WASHINGTON, D. C., May 81. – 8 0) P. M. PROBABILITIES.

For New England, southwesterly to For New England, southwesterly to northwesterly winds and clear or partly cloudy weather. For the middle States, winds shifting to easterly and southerly and generally warm weather. For the South Atlantic and Gull States east of the Mississippi, northeasterly to southeasterly winds, with possibly light areas, of light rains along the south Atlantic coast. winds, with possibly light areas, of light rains along the sounth Atlantic coast, from Tennessee, Ohio and Michigan, with fresh brisk winds and increasing cloudiness from Missouri, Illinois and the lake region to Dakota and Nebasaka, failing barometer, with fresh to brisk easterly to southerly winds, veering to southerly and westerly, with cloudy weather and rain areas.

The Chief Signal officer has an observer at the scene of the recent tornado

erver at the scene of the recent tornado in Iowa, with instructions to follow its course from beginning to end, and col-lect date for full scientific report.

SANDUSKY.

Sandusky, June 1—The Put-in-Bay House on Lake Eric will be opened for-mally for the season to morrow. Bass fishing at the Island good.

Dr. Ashlerait who was shot on the 21st Dr. Ashlerait who was shot on the 21st died last night. Jusse Gregg, son of ex-Mayor Gregg, who was arrested at the time of the smooting, and subsequently re-leased, was rearrested immediately after the Doctor's death, charged with murder in the first degree. in the first degree.

### HALIFAX.

Halifax, June 1-With the exception

an appeal will not be taken. The main point of the decision was that manufacturers had the right to fisject carbonic acid gas into wine made of grapes grown in the United States without paying tax.

—Three Russian Memmorite Commissioners have arrive in Canada on their way to Manitoba, to determine if that country is fitted for their company of Religionists to colonize.

—Col. D. M. Nelson, charged with the point of the crew except the wrecked condition of the vessel.

### DETROIT.

DETROIT, June 1.-The German Roman Catholic Benevolent Union of the United States commenced its 18th annual con-

The St. Clair Flats canal will the present season be widened to 200 feet, and the depth increased to 16 feet. The work ucpin increased to 10 feet. The work will be commenced immediately. Light will be extinguished on the 12th instant and the passage closed until the Job in finished.

A Man Accidentally Shoots His

Washington, May 31.—Last evening about 8 o'clock, James Buchanan, colored, while in a dispute with another party, accidentally shot his wile, inflicting a fatal wound. Buchanan was arrested.

The Plymouth Church Scandal to be Investigated.

Investigated.

New York, June 1—The Brooklyn

Eagle says Mr. Beecher and his friends
have determined to take a definite action
in the whole matter of the Bowen, Tilon, Beecher scandal, and that at a meeting of the descons of Plymouth church Fri day evening it was resolved to proceed at once with the investigation. Mr. Bower is said to be now in Indianapolis.

New York, May 31.—Arrived—The steamer Kronpmise from Hamburg, the India from Glasgow.
London, May 31;—Arrived out.—The ateamers Russia, Assyria and Aragon from New York.

Pittesting, June 1.—The river continues to decline gradually. The marks at 7 o'clock this evening indicated three feet ten inches water in the channel. Weather clear and pleasant. CINCINNATI, June 1 -River falling with fliteen feet of water in the channel.

P. W. & K.-Work is progressing on the railroad section containing the heavy Cross Creek job, and we understand that Mr. White who has the section immedi-

tely above, also a troublesome one, is early done.—Welbburg Herald.